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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136(a) and 1.17(a), a three-month extension of the term for reply to the August 22, 2006 Final Office Action, i.e., to up to and including February 22, 2007 is requested. Submitted herewith is a check in the amount of \$1020.00, in payment of the fee required therefore. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additionally required fee, or credit any overpayment in fees, to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.

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